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BIG WELCOME FOR FIREMEN

Alexandria Prize Winners Home Tonight At 9:15.

WILL STAGE PARADE

Blaze of Red Light, Band and Noise Makers To Be In Evidence As Parade Starts.

The Alexandria firemen who attended the State Firemen's Convention in Lexington, Va., and captured the first prize in the parade yesterday for being the best appearing uniformed company in line of march without band will return home at 9:15 o'clock tonight. A rousing big demonstration is planned for the returning firemen numbering about fifty, and a gala line is promised.

The victorious firemen will be met at the union railway station by a committee of city officials, firemen and others on foot and in automobiles. They will be headed by the Citizens' Band. The firemen will carry brooms and indicating a clean sweep and there will be plenty of red fire and noise making devices. Every piece of fire apparatus in the city will be out and they will let bells and siren loose. William Desmond, chairman of the fire committee of city council and acting chief during the absence of Chief McDermott, will be chief marshal of the parade.

The parade will march down King street and the reel of the Columbia Company will be drawn by the Alexandria firemen. This reel, as previously stated, was decorated for the firemen after their arrival in Lexington by Lucien Duffey, a member of the Columbia Company.

Following the march down King street the firemen will go to their respective engine houses. At the Columbia engine house a banquet has been prepared for the returning members of that company. At the Reliance and Relief houses it is understood that refreshments will be given the returning members of these companies.

GOTHAM'S MEANEST MAN STEALS 25c FROM CHILD

New York, Aug. 25.—Gotham's "meanest man" today stole a locket and 25 cents from a five-year-old girl.

Angelino Lempo had been intrusted with the quarter and sent to a nearby grocery to buy some butter. A man with a red moustache lured her to another street, telling her he knew a place where she could get butter for nothing. Meanwhile he took the quarter from her on the pretext that she might drop it, took off her tiny locket to have it "polished free of charge," and then gave her a paper to deliver to a mythical woman in a nearby hallway. When she returned after a vain search for the woman the man with the red bristles had disappeared.

Kiwanis Nominated.

Elect September 8—Addressed by Justice Gloth.

Nominations for officers for the ensuing year were made yesterday afternoon by the Kiwanis Club at the weekly luncheon of the club held in the Westminister Building. Julian Y. Williams was nominated for president; Urban S. Lambert and J. Randall Caton, Jr., first and second vice presidents respectively; Nelson T. Snyder treasurer. The club also nominated about twelve for directors and six are to be elected. The election will be held September 8.

An address was delivered by Justice William Gloth of Arlington County, and songs were given by Arthur Pierce of Washington. George E. Warfield presided and boost prizes were delivered by K. E. Wallace. The meeting was largely attended.

Reunion 29th Division.

The first reunion of the 29th Division will take place in Baltimore, Md., August 31 to September 5. All former members of Company G, 1st Virginia Regiment, Virginia National Guard were in this division and are interested in the reunion.

Reduced rates on all railroads and boat lines. The Baltimore hotels and boarding houses have also made special rates. In addition armories and warehouses supplied with army cots and blankets have been made into dormatories so that free lodging can be had for those desiring this accommodation. The Knights of Columbus, Salvation Army, Service Star Legion, Ladies Auxiliaries, Y. M. C. A. and other welfare organizations have made arrangements to serve a part of the meals free.

By taking advantage of these accommodations the trip can be made very inexpensive.

For registration and identification cards and full information apply to H. J. Lepner, Executive Secy., Hoen Bldg., Baltimcore, Md. or to Howard Arnold, Gibson's Drug Store; Capt. Jas. Wright, Capt. C. M. Shepperson, Gazette Office.

PICNIC WEDNESDAY

Arrangements have been made by Martha Washington chapter No. 42, Eastern Star, for picnic which will be given next Wednesday, "John Morris Day" at the place of Mrs. Veach, near Lincolnia, Fairfax county. A bus will leave the corner of King and Washington streets at 11 o'clock that morning. Those desiring to attend are requested to notify Mrs. Louise Wade.

Must Tap Sewers.

Cases of Three Heard Today in Court. Three Others To Be Tried Monday.

A determined effort is now being made by the city health department to compel all persons to tap sewers abutting their property. Cases of six persons charged with failing to tap sewers were called in the police court today. Mayor Duncan gave two a reasonable time in which to make connections and continued the case of a third person till Monday. Warrants it was stated will be issued for three persons who failed to show up and their cases will be tried Monday morning.

BAND CONCERT

The Citizens' Band will give a concert in Christ Church yard tonight beginning at 8 o'clock. The musical program is as follows:

March, "Independentia," Hall.
Overture, "Empyrean," Hayes.
March, "Washington Post," Sousa.
Serenade, "A Night In June," King.
Fox trot, "Margie," Conrad.
March, "National Emblem," Bagley.
Selection of Southern Plantation Songs: "The Sunny South," Lampe.
Two Step, "Our Favorite Rag," Huff.
Overture, "Magneta," Huff.
March, "Soldier Boys," Mackie-Beyer.
Finale—"Star Spangled Banner."

Ice cream, cake, lemonade and candy will be sold, the proceeds to be divided between the Sunday School and the Silver Star Club. A cordial welcome is extended to all.

$29,600, Stolen In West, Recovered In New York.

New York, Aug. 26.—Detectives announced today that securities valued at $29,600, stolen from MacDonald and company, of San Francisco, by Russell Lafayette Griffen, a twenty-one-year,old messenger, had been recovered in a bank here and in the desk which he had rented in an office in order to start speculating in stocks.

In a confession, as given out by the police, he said he had realized about $3,000 on the rest of the stolen securities and spent if for travel and entertainment.

Given sixteen packages of mail by his employers to be registered, Griffen stole five, it was said, and came East. He stopped at Salt Lake City and sold a bond or two there.

Griffen was sent to the Tombs as a fugitive from justice to await a hearing a week hence. Detectives said he had only $15 when arrested. The sale of a registered bond, which had been reported stolen, led to his arrest when he called for mail.

Schemes Involved Peril To 48 Banks.

Chicago, AAug. 26.—The financial failure of at least forty-eight banks and kindred institutions in the middle west would have resulted had all the operations of Charles W. French and John W. Worthington been carried to a successful conclusion, it was declared today by John V. Clinnin, assistant United States district attorney.

The statement was made after an examination of $21,000,000 in spurious securities and fradulent notes seized from various enterprises sponsored by the alleged heads of the "swindling trust" and the mail robbery group, who, with associates, are being held here.

English Reply To Irish

De Valera Re-elected Head.

London, Aug. 26.—Premier Lloyd George's rejoinder to the Sinn Fein note rejecting the English peace offer was dispatched this afternoon.

The communication was received on behalf of the Sinn Fein by Art O'Brien, head of the Irish Self-Determination League and the socalled "Sinn Fein ambassador in London."

The reply was drafted by a cabinet committee this afternoon following a conference between Premier Lloyd George and Sir Hamar Greenwood, chief secretary for Ireland.

Dublin, Aug. 26.—Eamon de Valera was today unanimously reelected president of the Irish republic by Dail Eirann (the Sinn Fein parliament). He was nominated by Commandant John MacKeown, of the Irish republican army, a member of Dail Eireann.

STATE NEWS

Lynchburg.—Governor Westmoreland Davis is scheduled to make an address before the Farmers'-Tobacco Growers' Association of Campbell County, at Rustburg, Saturday.

Richmond.—The Government will sell all the houses and manufacturing plants and other property at the Seven Pines plant September 19. There are 175 homes there to be sold, the same to be taken down and groudn cleared. The Government announced the sale of the place today, retaining only the ground, which may be converted into a park. The buildings and the bagloading plant at Seven Pines cost several millions of dollars.

Suffolk.—When the new pipe line extended on York street was being laid Monday workmen picked up a Civil War "dud" in the shape of a large unexploded shell, fired from some war machine in 1862, when this part of Suffolk was fortified and Longstreet was around these parts. Some years ago a "dud" which had been lying around for years in a Suffolk home, was taken out by a little boy and slammed down on the sidewalk, with the result that it exploded and blew off the boy's hand.

Norfolk.—On the last legs of a cruise that took them half way around the world, several hundred midshipmen are expected to arrive in Hampton Roads tomorrow on the battleships Michigan, Minnesota, Kansas and Connecticut. The "middies" have visited a number of South American and European ports and were given liberal shore leave at each place the ships put in. This cruise is said to be the longest ever undertaken by the "middy squadron."

Suffolk.—City Manager R. H. Brinkley and the City Council are considering the purchase of a new motor pumper which is to be added to the fire-fighting apparatus. At present Suffolk has a big, 1,200 gallon motor pumper, and a motorized steamer, both of which are very heavy. It is considered feasible and advisable to have another motor pumper not so heavy, which will be used in the unimproved streets, where the heavier engines get stalled in bad weather.

Lynchburg.—Arriving at a decision to build and equip a hydro-electric light power plant for its own use, the City Council has appointed a committee composed of Mayor Harper, Councilman Williams and City Manager Beck to negotiate for additional power and riparian rights. These will probably be secured from the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway. The council has three sets of plans for a power house, these costing from $150,000 to $362,000. It is proposed to have the plant ready for use by the close of the present lighting contract at the end of 1922.

Danville.—The "Roanoke Boosters" came to Danville Wednesday afternoon while on a trade expansion tour throughout Virginia and were entertained during the two hour layover here. Over a hundred Roanoke men came, accompanied by a band. Local civic organizations joined in the welcome and after being taken through the city in automobiles, supper was taken at a local hotel. The boosters went from here to Greensboro, N. C., and from there to Winston-Salem. N. C., where they are spending the night.

Danville.—Something of a sensation has been created in the town of South Boston, in Halifax county, by a sermon preached by Rev. W. B. Jett, pastor of the First Methodist church of that town, and a former Danville pastor, who asserted in the course of his remarks that men prominent in the business and social the vendors of illicit spirits. Rev. Mr. Jett also stated that the delays through appeals to higher courts is rapidly destroying confidence in the courts of law in the minds of many who stand for law enforcement.

Richmond.—Mayor Ainslie has received a letter from Marshal Foch, in reply to his cablegram of several weeks ago inviting the French commander to visit Richmond during his proposed tour of the United States this fall, Marshall Foch stated he would be pleased to visit Richmond, but could not at this time give his itinerary, as that would be made up after he reaches Ameirca. He expresses pleasure at the prospect of being a guest of this city, and sends his best regards to the people of Richmond.

Danville.—Republicans of the Fifth Virginia congressional district have decided to hold a convention at Galax, in Carroll county, on September 9 to name a candidate who will be pitted against the Democratic nominee in the special election of November 8. At the end of the session it was said that no special candidate had been ed that the name of S. F. Landreth, of Carroll county, will be presented on the floor of the convention. The Republicans are looking for their main support from Patrick, Carroll and Grayson counties, also from Franklin.

Portsmouth.—Visions of sea ser-

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ALL PERISH BUT FIVE

Hope Abandoned That Any Others of 49 Aboard ZR-2 Saved.

CREW WAS RESTING

Air Ministry Orders Court of Inquiry British Must Bear Loss—Air Officers Gather Data.

London, Aug. 25.—Official investigations made today at Hull into the ZR-2 disaster failed to produce results either minimizing its extent or throwing light on the reason why the big airship suddenly broke in two and fell with a majority of the crew into the Humber River.

All hope has been abandoned that there are other survivors of the catastrophe than Norman G. Walker, an American rigger, and Flight Lieut. A. H. Wann, the commander of the aircraft and three other British members of the crew.

The disaster has stirred the British public as no event has since the World War, when reports of reverses to Allied arms were received or air raids by the Germans chronicled. All classes, from royalty downward, hastened to express sympathy for the victims, both British and American.

The Air Ministry and the Admiralty are omitting no efforts in salvaging the wreck and investigating the cause of the collapse of the dirigible. The salvage work will continue throughout the night at Hull, although it admittedly is difficult and dangerous.

It is presumed that a number of the officers and men of the crew of the ill-fated craft, including Brigadier-General Maitland, may have been imprisoned in the gondolas by the explosion and met death there. They are believed to have been resting in the gondolas at the time of the disaster, as they had an engagement to attend a dance in Hull arranged in their honor Wednesday night. This was to have been in the nature of a farewell gathering in honor of the Americans.

The report that the body of Commander Louis H. Maxield, U. S. N., had been found turned out to be inaccurate.

The inquest into the disaster, which has been fixed for tomorrow, is expected to be merely a formal opening inquiry but the Government has lost no time in arranging an investigation into the cause of the wreck. The Air Ministry has convened a court which will open at Howden Saturday. Major-General Salmond, who will preside over the court, is in command of the inland area of the Royal Air Force. With him will be six other air officers. There is a general desire that the United States should be represented on this court, and, therefore, the Air Ministry has invited the American naval attache at the embassy here to designate some officer.

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TWO PERISH IN AIR

Ex-Army Lieutenant and Billy Sunday's Choir Leader's Brother Victims.

Warsaw, Ind., Aug. 25.—L. D. Merrill, former lieutenant in the United States Aviation Service, and Jack Rodeheaver, eighteen years old, of Winona Lake, Ind., were instantly killed this evening when an airplane in which they were taking a pleasure ride at Winona Lake crashed to the ground.

Young Rodeheaver, whose brother is choir leader for Billy Sunday, was piloting the machine at a height of 2,000 feet when it suddenly lurched earthward. Lieutenant Merrill, who was not strapped in and was riding in the rear seat, was thrown out of the plane, which fell several hundred feet from Merrill, pinning Rodeheaver under it.

Labor Board To Hear P. R. R. Elections Appeal.

Chicago, Aug. 26.—The United States Railroad Labor Board will grant a hearing next week to the Pennsylvania railroad on its petition asking repeal of the board's order directing it to hold an election of employe representatives in which the shopcrafts' union shall be recognized as an organization.

That announcement was made today, together with the notice to other railroads approving the Pennsylvania's stand in refusing to obey the order, that the hearing will be in the nature of a test case

Chicago Banker Found.

El Paso, Texas, Aug. 26.—Warren C. Spurgin, missing Chicago bank president, has definitely been located at Uriachia, Chihuahua, by C. A. Carey, Chicago detective, who returned to El Paso today from Chihuahua City.

Spurgin has about $50,000 in cash and was said to be accompanied by a woman companion.

PRINCIPAL FOR HIGH SCHOOL

R. C. Haydon Re-elected—Other Members of Faculty.

At a meeting of the City School Board last night Richard C. Haydon was re-elected principal of the Alexandria High School for the ensuing session. There were several other candidates. Mr. Haydon was principal of the school last session. The faculty for the ensuing session follows: Miss Kroes Ficklin, Irvin Lindsey, Miss Sadie Fristoe, Mrs. Mary B. Loomis, Miss Corrinne Reardon, Robert E. Knight, Miss Dolly Callahan, Mrs. J. E. Jones, Mrs. R. E. Pidgeon, and Miss Marie Brauchler. With the exception of Mrs. Loomis, Mrs. Jones and Miss Fristoe, the teachers are all of last sessions faculty.

Schools will be opened for the issuing of permits on September 6 and for study on September 12.

28 Year Domino Game Is Still In Progress.

New York, Aug. 26.—A domino game has been in progress or the last quarter of a century in Riverhead, L. I., it became known here today. The exact date of its inception is not known, but it was started by four men some time in 1893.

Since then the same four, the oldest being ninety-four, have gathered for several hours daily to match up the little black blocks.

The first ten years were the hardest, the quatet deposes.

Senator Rides In Auto-Patrol After Arrest.

The humiliating experience of taking a ride in the auto patrol of the First precinct was experienced last night by Senator Charles L. McNary of Oregon, who is stopping at the Williard Hotel.

He was charged with operating an automobile past a traffic signal at Fourteenth street and New York avenue when it was set against him. With the Senator in the machine was George Francis Rodgers, forty-seven years old, who is stopping at the Harrington Hotel. Rogders gave his occupation as a ship builder.

According to Traffic Policeman E. R. Dempsey, both the Senator and the ship builder became somewhat obstreperously when they were challenged as to why they did not stop the machine when signalled to do so. He asked them to drive to the First precinct but they refused. Whereupon the policeman summoned the auto patrol and had both men removed to the station house.

It is said the Senator reminded the policeman of the high office he held, but the cop remained adamant, remarking, it is said, "you have spoken too late." At the First precinct they became highly indignant at the humiliating experience and were released after they furnished collateral. The Senator gave $5 bail while the ship builder put up $10. Rodgers was charged with disorderly conduct.

Peter C. Hewitt, N. Y. Millionaire Is Dead In Paris.

Paris, Aug. 26.—Peter Cooper Hewitt, American scientist and electrical inventor, died in the American Hospital here at 7:15 o'clock last night. Mrs. Hewitt and his two sisters were at the bedside.

Asks Pledge Be Kept.

Villa Demands Pay Promised Followers When They Surrendered.

Mexico City, Aug. 26.—Francisco Villa, the former Mexican bandit, has sent an urgent request to government officials here asking that forty of his followers be paid in accordance with the agreement signed by the government when the men surrendered. He declared that the men had received no payments for the past six months, it is said in reports current here. The request was made through Gen. Enrique Martinez, commanding federal troops in the state of Durango, and he transmitted it to the war office here.

Face Massacre Leaders Fear

Madison, W. Va., Aug. 26.—The advance forces in the union miners' "army" of 5,000 men, which is marching toward the Mingo county strike zone, arrived at Danville, a little hamlet along the Coal river, two miles northesat of this place, at noon today.

The men had been marching since 3 o'clock this morning, at which time they broke camp at Racine, sixteen miles northeast of here. The marchers were tired but maintained order. They hope to reach the Boone-Logan county border by tonight.

Savannah Boat Aground In Lower Boston Harbor.

Boston, Aug. 26.—The steamer City of Savannah, out of Savannah for Boston with twelve passengers went aground on a ledge in the lower harbor today. The passengers were taken off by tugs.

It is expected the vessel will be floated on the tide later today. She is apparently little damaged.

PIRATE STORY IS CANARD

Bottle Message From Derelict Schooner Pure Fake.

CREW'S FATE MYSTERY

Capt. Wornell's Trail Lost After January 23—Government Drops Its Investigation.

Washington, Aug. 25.—After an investigation of seven months by the Federal Government one of the most mysterious incidents of the seas—the strange fate of the Carrol A. Deering off the North Carolina shoals—has been cleaned up to the extent that the Government will drop the case.

The final chapter is the report brought back to Washington today by Lawrence Richey, special assistant to the Secretary of Commerce. Mr. Richey discredits the theory of foul play by pirates. The original supposition of the Government was that piratical marauders might be operating in the ocean lanes, a belief which caused the State Department to send out an international alarm.

The exact fate of the Deering's crew may never be known, but there is sufficient evidence to clear up the most mysterious phases of the peculiar event. The Deering was found beached on Diamond Shoals on the morning of January 30, 1920, after she had cleared the Diamond Shoals lightship on the preceding evening. Her sails were set, but no human being was aboard, and in the ship's records here was nothing to give an inkling of the disappearance of the captain or crew. To add to the mystery, a bottle message picked up on the Carolina coast stated that the ship had been captured by an "oil-burning boat something like a chaser."

It has has now been established that the message found in the bottle, which led Miss Lala Wornell, daughter of the ship's captain, to request investigation of the affair by the Government, was a pure fake.

It was at first reported that the message was on paper of South American manufacture. This was immediately disproved, and the investigators turned to the finder a fisherman named Ray, of Buxton Beach, N. C. Mr. Richey said he had proved to his own satisfaction that the message was written by Ray himself.

Accidentally Shot While Loading Pistol.

While engaged in loading a revolver at his home, Alexander Wood, colored, who lives at 420 Gibbon at 10 o'clock this morning accidentally shot himself. The bullet entered Wood's abdomen. Wood was rushed to the Alexandria Hospital where an operation was performed by Dr. S. B. Moore. It was stated at the hospital this aftrenoon that Wood has a good chance to recover.

POLICE COURT

Cases disposed of today in the police court, Mayor Durcan presiding, follow: A man charged by Policemen Magner and Durrer with violating the speed law forfeited $10 collateral; man charged by Folicemen Magner and Durrer with speeding forfeited $5 and charged by Policemen Magner and Durrer with violating the traffic law, forfeited $5 collateral.

Erzberger Is Killed In Berlin.

London, Aug. 26.—Dr. Mathias Erzberger, a member of the German Reichstag and former minister of finance in the cabinet, has been murdered, said a press dispatch rfom Berlin this afternoon. Dr. Erzberger was long a leader of the Centrum, or clerical party.

The report of Dr. Erzberger's violent death had not been officially confirmed up to 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Dr. Erzberger was long a conspicuous figure in German national politics. He introduced the famous peace resolution in the German Reichstag in July, 1917, which split that body into two camps. He was a member of the German commission which signed the armistice on November 11, 1918.

United States Loses Million In Money By Airship Destruction.

The United States government will lose a million dollars through the destruction of the dirigible ZR-2 under terms of an agreement entered into with the British government.

The agreement, according to a statement issued today by the Navy Department, "provides that in the event of the total loss of this airship (the ZR-2), while under construction or during trials the two governments would jointly bear the loss on an equal basis."

The United States has paid $1,500,000 to the British government on the contract cost of $2,000,000 for the ZR-2, the statement added. Accordingly the British government will turn back $500,000 to the United States.

WASHINGTON DAY BY DAY

(From Our Special Correspondent.)

Washington, Aug. 26.—Senator Swanson, of Virginia, a member of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee is of the opinion that a majority of his Democratic colleagues will support the new treaty of peace with Germany which has ben submitted to the Foreign Relations Committee by Secretary of State Hughes.

"While I have not had an opportunity to examine the pact very closely," said Senator Swanson to the Gazette correspondent today, "I believe that it will be found entirely satisfactory to a majority of the Democrats, not only on the Foreign Relations Committee, but in the Senate as well."

Doom for Thirsty.

Those who had been anticipating the issuance of regulations by the Treasury Department authorizing physicians to prescribe beer for medicinal purposes were doomed to bitter disappointment when it became known that Secretary of the Treasury Mellon had decided that no such regulations should be promulgated. It had been expected that, following the failure of Congress to pass the anti-beer bill, breweries throughout the country now turning out "near beer" would be prmitted to make the beverage with a "kick" in it. But Secretary Mellon has decided otherwise and says he expects the passage of the anti-beer bill shortly after Congress reassemble after the recess.

To Clean Out at Ship Board.

Not only are a number of high salaries paid to officers and employees of the Shipping Board and Emergency Fleet Corporation to be cut at once in response to the action taken by Congress before its recess, but it is rumored among those in touch with official circles that several vital changes in the personnel of the Board will be announced in the near future.

It is said that among those slated to go are Alonzo Tweedale, Comptroller, and Wilmer Bolling, Treasurer, the latter brother-in-law of former President Wilson. Mr. Bolling has been treasurer of the Shipping Board for a number of years, but it is understood both President Harding and Chairman asker feel that this job should be turned over to some "deserving Republican."

Harding on Golf Links.

President Harding proved himself to be something of a golfer on the links of the Washington County Club yesterday. Not only did the President make a very good score, but he tied with a fellow newspaper man for third place. As a result, he was presented with a fine golf club. The tournament was one gotten up by the Washington correspondents and the affair was a big success in every particular. The President played the 18 holes in splendid style and afforded an opportunity to hundreds of lovers of the game to see the Chief Executive in action.

U. S. and Germany aat Peace.

The United States and Germany are officially at peace once more, Germany having signed the treaty of peace yesterday. With the signing of the pact between the two countries diplomatic relations will once more be resumed. It is expected that President Harding will shortly name an ambassador to represent this government in Germany. In addition, designations will be made at once by the State Department of consular officers to represent the United States in Germany and to build up American export business wherever possible.

It is realized that Germany's demands for all kinds of supplies and materials will be very great during the next few years covering its period o rehabilitation. It is going to be the aim of the United States to secure just as much of this commerce as possible and our diplomatic and consular agents in Germany will be expected to do their duty in this regard.

Do Not Expect Delay.

It is not anticipated that there will be any prolonged debate in the Senate over the ratication of the German peace treaty. Senators of both parties seem entirely pleased with the provisions contained in the pact and they are all anxious for a resumption of commercial relations between the two countries. It is expected that the treaty will be sent to the Senate shortly after Congress gets back from its month's holiday. Already most of the Senators have a very fair idea of the nature of the treaty and will not require much time in deliberating upon it.

Married Yesterday.

Miss Dorothy E. Richardson Bride of Mr. A. I. Holmes.

Mrs. Isabella Duff Richardson announces the marriage of her daughter, Dorothy Evans, to Mr. Atchley Irvin Holmes, of Pulaski, Va., on Thursday, August 25th, at her home "Richburn," Alexandria, Va., in the presence of the immediate family and a few friends.

The bride who was given in marriage by her brother, William Parker Richardson, wore a gown of cream satin and lace with a corsage of orchids and maiden hair fern. Miss Helen Richardson, who attended her sister as maid of honor, wore a gown of apricot chiffon and silver lace and carried a bouquet of Ophelia roses.

Little Miss Janet Kengla, neice of the bride, was flower girl, and wore a dress of white crepe de chene and carried a basket of Ophelia roses.

Mr. Forest Holmes, brother of the groom, was best man.

Mr. and Mrs. Holmes left later for a trip through the north, and on their return will live at Delton, Va.

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TODAY'S THOUGHT I praise the poet, his remark was shrewd: how sweet, how passing sweet, is solitude! But grant me still a friend in my retreat, whom I may whisper,—"Solitude is sweet."
Cowper.

ROCKEFELLER FOUNDATION

The Annual Review of the work of the Rockefeller Foundation for 1920, and the program for 1921, is of recent issue. A cursory reading of its pages cannot but fill one with admiration for the wonderful work for mankind being accomplished by this institution.

In the old days, when muck-raking spread like a plague all over the country, it was the fashion to revile John D. Rockefeller and his fortune in terms of bitterest vituperation. But ripening to a good old age, he has lived to see his detractors forgotten, and his wise philanthropies applauded by a grateful humanity. A list of these benefactions would occupy a full editorial column in the Gazette. They are literally world-wide in scope. They cover the five continents.

Aid to medical schools, medical training centers, medical research foundations, medical journals and laboratory supplies, premedical departments, hospitals, training of doctors and nurses, schools of hygiene and public health, commissions from England and Czechoslovakia, campaigns against yellow fever, malaria, hook-worm, and tuberculosis, war-time emergency relief funds for European children—all these represent a portion of the amazing activities of the Rockefeller Foundation.

That John D. Rockefeller was endowed with a brain for business beyond that of any man thus far known to history, would be disputed but by few. Add to this a desire to use that brain for the benefit of humanity and you have philanthropy dedicated not only to the noblest ends but by the most skilful and effective means. Charity, socalled, is actually degrading, and causes loss of self-respect, diminution of will-power, and only multiplies the need for its administration. We doubt if any commission of college professors, or innumerable commissions, together with the aid of all the political and social economists in the world, could ever have devised so complete and competent a system for doing good with money, as has proceeded from the single brain of Mr. Rockefeller. He turned his attention to this many years ago; and the result is as magnificent a success as that which has spread the means of light to the remotest nooks and corners of the globe. Light to the eyes of the poorest and humblest, which must precede light to the mind.

The report of the Rockefeller Foundation for 1920 is its own best argument. In fact, no words of our English tongue can be made to speak half so eloquently as its bare and unbolstered recital of facts and figures.

George E. Vincent, son of the universally beloved Bishop Vincent, founder of all the Chautauquas, is the president of the Foundation, and his selection for that world-important post was in itself a stroke of genius.

ALL PERISH BUT FIVE

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Today officers of the Air Ministry were at Hull making preliminary investigations and gathering all possible data concerning the catastrophe. The Ministry announces that after the court at Howden concludes its inquiry, further investigations will be made into the full technical aspects of the case by the "accident investigation subcommittee of the Aeronautical Research Committee."

There is much discussion both on the part of the newspapers and the public as to the cause of the disaster. Speculation turns mostly toward the weakness of the girders of the aircraft. An investigation is being urged to discuss the possibility of employing a mixture of helium with hydrogen in order to prevent explosions of gas in the envelopes of aircraft.

Washington, Aug. 26.—Technical investigation to determine the cause o the collapse of the ZR-2 will be left "as a matter of course" to the British Air Ministry, Secretary Denby said today. Only in case heavy financial loss should fall upon the United States as a result of the disaster, he said, would a request be made or permission to assign naval representatives of the American Navy Department to the hearings.

The Secretary's statement was accepted here as formal announcement that the United States considered the airship entirely the property of the British Government, with only such qualifications of this position as might be embodied in specific clauses of the purchase contract.

The following dispatch was received by the Navy Department today from the Secretary of the British Air Ministry.

"The Secretary of State for Air and Air Control gratefully acknowledges the messages of sympathy from the Navy Department of the United States on the disaster of the ZR-2. He deeply deplores the sacrifice of the lives of so many Americans and offers his heartfelt condolences to the United States Navy and relatives and friends of those who have been lost."

State News

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pents entertained, perhaps, by some members of the crew of the lighthouse tender Columbine took concrete form on the last trip of that vessel to the Cape Lookout breakwater, when more than a dozen giant eels at least a foot in circumference and over fiv efeet in length were hauled aboard via the fisherman's hook and line route. First Officer Holm, of the Columbine, which returned late yesterday to the lighthouse depot here, is sponsor for the statement that, in addition t othe dozen taken, at least twenty-five larger super-eels got away, taking hook, line and tackle. Thirty-six 2 1-2 inch hooks were carried away by the eels. According to the Columbine's complement, the super-eels were exceptionally fine eating.

Danville.—The Fifth District Democratic Committee met here this afternoon and fixed September 13th as the date on which a party nominee to succeed R. A. James in Congress will be chosen in convention which will be held here. The basis of representation will be one delegate for every 100 and fraction over 50 votes cast for Cox last November. Only three members of the committee were present; Thomas G. Burch, chairman; J. Turner Clement, Pittsylvania, and J. Murray Hooker, Patrick. D. A. Nicholson and C. A. Osborne were not present. The date was determined in order that the convention might be disposd of before the Galax fair. Two of the members of the committee are open candidates for Congress, while Clement is considering an announcement. Politicians were here today from all parts of the district putting up fences for the favorite sons.

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Overalls, with bib	95c	Navy Hammocks	$2.00
Army Khaki Breeches	$1.00	Wool Socks, 3 pair for	$1.00
Jumpers	50c	Cotton Socks, 2 pair for	25c
Army Wool Breeches	$1.50	Sweaters	$1.25-$1.50
Ponchos	$1.50	Lanterns	$1.00
Army Large Woolen Blankets	$3.95	Wool Navy Underwear	$1.25
Khaki Pants	$1.45	Bugles	$3.95
Khaki Shirts	$1.00	Army Belts	20c
Campaign Hats	$1.25-$150	Haversacks	50c
Hip Rubber Boots	$4.25	Laundry Bags	25c
Canvas Leggins	50c	Towels,	15c each, $1.75 doz.
Leather Leggins	$3.25	Hob Nail Shoes	$4.50
Lee Unionalls	$3.00	Blue Marine Wool Pants	$3.95
Officers' Raincoats	$3.95	Holsters	50c

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WHY PAY CARFARE? Prices same as at ou r Washington Store WHY PAY CARFARE?

A GREAT NEWSPAPER

There probably would not be serious dispute, even among newspapers, in awarding the palm as a newspaper to the New York Times, which has just completed twenty-five years under the single management and controlling ownership of Adolph S. Ochs. No other country's newspapers can compare to those of the United States in the number of the first class. To hold the premiership in news quality and completeness among all of these, is a very great achievement. But how this has been gained, how the Times has been made what it is, is a something Mr. Ochs has disclosed in his anniversary statement. The Times has never been used as a property to be milked, but as one to be fed. It is capitalized at but $5,000,000. Its real estate and paper mill properties cost as much. It has a gross annual income of exceeding $15,000,000. It pays out as dividends but 3 per cent of this. The rest goes back into the business, into the making of a newspaper. In other words, more than $14,500,000 is paid out each year to produce the Times.

It has this earning, with this spending capacity in production, because it has always had this one policy. It has never drained the property's earnings. It has not been regarded, primarily, as a money making, but as a newspaper making enterprise. Cash receipts and net income have been left to be a consequence, not the motive.

It takes one other thing than this to build up a great newspaper. That is newspaper-brains, which have a mental quality as distinctive from that required in any other productive business as a newspaper is distinctive from any other manufactured product of general use. They do not grow on every human bush, but Mr. Ochs seems to have been endowed with them, or to have had a remarkable ability to know them when they came his way, or were within his reach.—Washington Herald.

3,000 MILE TRIP

His car was six years old and had rolled up 102,000 miles of travel, but that did not deter the city attorney of Hermosa Beach, Calif., when he had occasion to make a trip to Washington, D. C., not long ago.

"It's 3,000 miles," he said, "and part of the way is rough going, but I'll drive it, just the same."

The gentleman referred to was none other than George R. Wickham, who, in making the trip to Washington, was responding to the call of the government, for the senate had just confirmed his appointment as assistant U. S. commissioner of lands, with headquarters at the national capital.

"As Mr. Wickham drove up to the salesrooms of the Albertson Motor Co., Dodge Brothers dealers in Los Angeles, to say goodbye," says the Los Angeles Express in its account of his departure, "his early Dodge Brothers car, built in 1915, belied its age. The original finish was still there, a little scratched, but still there."

"I understand that the field service department of the general land office has standardized on Dodge Brothers cars, so I will be right in style when I arrive to take up my new duties," said Mr. Wickham. "And after the strenuous mountain trips that I have made I can readily understand why the land office has decided on Dodge Brothers cars for the use of their surveyors, assistants and supply men. I bought my car which, by the way, was one of the first in Los Angeles, early in 1915 and have piloted it over nearly every foot of California, Nevada and Oregon.

"I have driven in every conceivable sort of weather and on every known variety of roads and excuses for roads. And in all my travels I have yet to be towed or have any serious trouble."

Mr. Wickham made the trip with his wife and two children. That their faith in the old car was fully justified is attested by the fact that the journey was made in good time and without the slightest untoward incident.

DESERT CYCLING

Braving a blazing desert temperature of over 135 degrees at times and the dangers resulting from a negative elevation, John Hogg, a daring California motorcyclist, explorer and author, recently made an extensive exploration trip of the Salton Sea in the Colorado Desert of South-central California. Experiences he encountered and observations he made are being given much space in current magazines. The ingenuity he used in utilizing a motorcycle-sidecar outfit as a craft for both land and water is also being quite extensively exploited in various publications. After traveling to the Salton Sea from Los Angeles with his sidecar combination, he removed the sidecar body from its chassis and after calking the seams, slid down a steep sand bank and into the sea and then paddled 18 miles to Pelican Island. There he was able to obtain water and supplies and after spending two days fishing for Salt Sea Mullett from his strange craft, photographing the numerous kinds of birds that inhabit the island, and making general observations, he returned to where he left his motorcycle, mounted the amphibious sidecar body on it's running gear again, and returned to Los Angeles.

CANADA AUTO LEAGUE

With the inauguration of a free service to motorists by the Montreal Autoists League, automobile and motorcycle owners certainly have occasion to be thankful. "Service" of every description is dispensed by a motorcycle-sidecar mounted officer of the association who continually patrols the principal highways and streets of the district. Among the services rendered last week were the replacing of 21 spare tires; repairing of 5 blow-outs, securing of gasoline for 4 car owners; rendering repair services to 4 drivers and arranging fo the towing of several wrecked cars, in addition to other miscellaneous services. It is the intention of the League to install two more motorcycle sidecars in this service during the present season.

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This is an end of the season sale, when we close out all odd lots and odds and ends or slightly soiled or mussed merchandise at almost GIVE AWAY PRICES. Read this list carefully as you are sure to find something in this sale you need.

END OF THE MONTH SALE OF

Summer Dresses

These dresses represent our entire remaining stock of fine summer dresses and we intend to clear our rocks before the first day of September. Read these values carefully.

Women's fine quality organdy and voile dresses, regular $7.50 to $15.00 values, sale price $4.98

Women's high grade organdy dresses, all the wanted styles and colors, $19.50 to $25.00 values, each $7.50

The very popular linene jumper dresses, all colors, regularly sold at $2.50, special sale price $1.98

Women's fine quality French gingham dresses, regular $19.50 and $25.00 values, sale price, each $7.50

Women's summer silk dresses, regular $25.00 and $29.50 values, each $12.50

$39.50 to $59.50 summer silk dresses, all colors and sizes, each $24.98

DRESS SKIRTS of Extraordinary Prices

Women's fancy flannel dress skirts, all colors and sizes, the kind we have been selling at $12.50 to $19.50, sale price, each $7.50

Women's white tub skirts, regular $4.98 values, sale price ...$2.49

Women's beautiful $12.50 to $19.50 silk and satin dress skirts, all colors and sizes in the lot, sale price, each $7.50

MISSES' DRESSES

Made of organdy, several styles and colors, regular $4.98 values, each $2.93

Many Other Bargains at Rummage Prices

GLOVE SPECIALS.

Women's black and white silk gloves, regular 75c values, pair 39c

Women's white chamoisette gloves, regular 75c values, sale price, pair 25c

Women's Hosiery

Women's excellent quality fibre silk hose, regularly sold at $1.50 a pair, special sale price, pair 79c

Women's white and black ribbed cotton hose, 50c values, pair 25c

Values in Waists

Women's fancy tub silk waists, were $3.50 and $3.98, sale price $1.98

Women's white voile and percale waists, $1.50 values, sale price, each 89c

Women's AUTUMN SUITS in the Rummage Sale

Women's Navy Blue suits, regularly sold at $49.50, only two in the lot, sizes 16 and 18, Rummage Sale— **$24.98**

Women's good quality Jersey suits, regular $12.50 values, special for rummage sale, each $8.98

READY-TO-WEAR SPECIALS.

These are only a few of the many big gains that will be found in this store during the next four days.

APRONS

Women's Polly Prim gingham aprons, regularly sold at 98c, special sale price, each 69c

INFANTS' WEAR SPECIALS

Infants' white dresses, regular $1.50 values, special, each 98c

Infants' white mull caps, regular 75c values, special ...39c

FOR THE CHILDREN

Children's fancy top sox, regular 35c and 39c values, pair ..19c

Children's mull hats, were $1.50 and $1.98, now, each 79c

Children's pink bloomers, regularly sold at 69c and 75c, sale price 39c

WOMEN'S UNDERWEAR AT BARGAIN PRICES

Women's silk camisoles and brassieres, regular $1.50 values, each 79c

Women's namsook gowns, regular $1.50 to $2.50 values, sale price, each 98c

Women's embroidery trimmed muslin underskirts, regular $1.50 values, each .98c

Fancy crepe gowns $1.50 values, each .79c

White and pink namsook gowns, 69c values, each 50c

Women's $1.50 unionsuits suit ..79c

R. & G. front lace corsets, sizes 26 and 27, $7.50 values, each $3.98

EVERY

Bathing Suit Must Go!

And we have put prices on our remaining stock that insure a quick cleanup. Buy a suit now for next season.

Misses' and women's fine quality wool bathing suits, regularly sold early in the season at $5.98 to $7.50, special price, now $3.98

Women's cotton bathing suits, regular price was $1.98 to $2.50, special ..$1.49

Women's wool bathing suits, the kind that sold at $4.98, special $2.98

Misses' fine wool bathing suits, regular $3.32 values, sale price, ...$1.98

Rummage Sale OF MEN'S and BOYS' FURNISHINGS

50 dozen E. & W. laundered collars, regular 25c values, rummage sale price, 15c each, dozen $1.75

5 dozen men's 50c fancy silk collars, sale price, each 25c

20 dozen $1.50 fancy and plain blue neck band shirts, each $1.00

10 dozen $1.50 white and tan shirts, with collar attached, each $1.00

One lot of $1.50 and $1.75 gray and balbriggan union suits 98c

One lot of men's $2.00 and $2.50 V-neck night robes,each $1.00

50 dozen men's black and plain color lisle hose, 50c grade, pair 25c

One lot of $3.00 "Metric" shirts with collars attached, each $2.00

One lot of men's fancy silk hose, $1.25 and $1.50 quality, pair 75c

A small lot of men's $2.50 white pajamas, famous "Faultless" make, special, a suit $1.00

One lot of boy's shirts, neck band style, $1.00 values, each 69c

One lot of boy's $1.25 and $1.50 blouses—Rummage price 69c

Boy's Athletic union suits, regularly sold at 75c and $1.00, Rummage sale price, suit 59c

One lot of boys' one piece overall suits, regular $1.75 values, Rummage sale price, suit $1.00

One lot of boys' sport shirts, regular $1.50 values, sale price—each 98c

THE · COOKERY PAGE

LIVE NEWS

from

ROSEMONT DEL RAY
BRADDOCK MT. IDA
ST. ELMO.

Mrs. Ella Miskimon, of East Orange N. J., who has been visiting for the past three months, in the home of her son, Mr. T. Beale Miskimon, in North Rosemont, will leave tomorrow for a visit in Harpers Ferry, W. Va.

Miss Pearl Halladay has returned to Philadelphia after a week's visit to her aunt, Mrs. S. J. Heddings, in St. Elmo.

Mr. Walter U. Varney, of Del Ray, and Walter Jr., motored to Luray, Va., today and will be ther about ten days with Mrs. Varney, who is staying for the summer.

Mrs. Marcey Tune returned to Washington yesterday after visiting several days in the home of Mr. William Kidwell in Del Ray.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Spivy have returned rom their trip to Niagara, Buffalo, and Toronto and are at home in Braddock.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Runaldue, of Cottage Park, have returned home after a two week's visit in New York, Philadelphia, and Atlantic City.

Mrs. Arthur K. Warfield, of Rosemont, is in Richmond, Va., visiting her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Goodloe and little daughter, of Cedar Street, Rosemont, are visiting in Connecticut.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bode with Augusta and Eugene Jr., of Rosemont, are enjoying a season at Wildwood, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Penn with Mr. and Mrs Milton Penn of George Washington Park, left early this week for a motor trip through Pennsylvania and expect to be there some little time.

Mr. Janney Yates, who has been visiting near Roanoke, Va., since Monday, returned this morning to his home in Del Ray, accompanied by his brother, Mr. Paul Yates, who will remain or a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Whittemore, of Del Ray, are the proud parents of a little daughter born to them at Alexandria Hospital on Monday, Aug. 22nd.

Mrs. R. J. Yates and son, Robert, with their guest, Miss Annie Peugh, motored to Fredericksburg Tuesday and spent the day.

Little Effie Gordon is quite sick with tonsilitis at her home in Del Ray.

Ruth Varney returned yesterday from a visit in camp at Chesapeake Beach to her home in St. Elmo.

Mr. Bernard J. Heddings has returned to his home in St. Elmo after a fine visit of six weeks to friends in Austin, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. James Harmon and daughter, Maria, with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Spivy and family have returned to Braddock from a delightful vacation at Piey Point, Md.

Mrs. Sylvan Felter and children of Del Ray are visiting in her home town of Orange, Va.

Rev. Willis L. Wyats, of Del Ray, is visiting his brother in Lynchburg, Va.

Mrs. Virginia Price who has been visiting in New Jersy for a month or so, returned to her home on Bellefonte Avenue, Del Ray, the early part of the week and was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Frank Frence and son, who remained for a few days visit before returning to their home in Wilmington, Del.

Mrs. E. F. Ludwig and daughter, Miss Greta, have returned to their home in Braddock after a round of visits in different parts of New Jersey, one of which was a week-end at Ocean Grove camp meeting, which they greatly enjoyed.

A lawn fete for the benefit of Jr. O. U. A. M. building fund will be held on the evenings of the three days of August 29, 30 and 31, 1921, under the auspices of St. Elmo Council No. 195. The lawn fete will be on Hume avenue near St. Elmo post office. There will be music and other attractions besides ice cream, cake, candy and peanuts. A good time for every body. Your friends will be there and you will want to be there too.

Mrs. Richard Stevnson and daughter from Mt. Rainer, Md., have been visiting Mrs. George R. McCauley in Del Ray for several days and left yesterday to return to their home in Maryland

Miss Evelyn Mallory has been visiting Mrs. R. T. Hardin in Del Ray for a couple of days, returning this morning to her home in Richmond, Va.

Clayton Dawson celebrated his twelfth birthday on Tuesday night when about twenty guests assembled at his home in St. Elmo and made merry, as young folks can, with games, music and refreshments.

Mr. George West of Del Ray escaped probable serious injury on Wednesday night. He was a little later than usual about retiring and just before going upstairs a half of the ceiling plaster of his bedroom fell crashing onto his bed. Fortunately their was no one in the room at the time.

Mrs. Schaaf, who has been visiting for two weeks in the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Shaw on Howell Avenue, Del Ray, left yesterday to return to her home in Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. John Myers, from Odenton, Md., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Turner, on Clifford Avenue, St. Elmo.

Mrs. John Gary has invited her Sunday School class to spend the week-end in her camp at Chesapeake Beach, Md.

Only about 100 members and friends of the Del Ray M. E. Sunday School attended the picnic at Snowdens station on Wednesday, but everyone of those enjoyed the day thoroughly. The weather was ideal for the occasion and the automobiles and truck which carried the crowd made the trip quickly. The first thing upon arrival at the grounds most of the company went in bathing; those who did not bathe being interested spectators. After a lively time in the water the swings were put up, then everybody was "just starving hungry" so the lunch cloths were laid in a lovely spot

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With Howe's Great London Shows, North Alfred Street Grounds.
TUESDAY, AUGUST 30.

A Special Sale of
National Biscuit Company's
most popular varieties for
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Packages		Bulk	
Uneeda Biscuit	5c	Marshmallow Creams	30c
Graham Crackers, small	5c	Marshmallow Pecans	35c
Barnum's Animals	5c	Robina Bar	35c
ZuZu	5c	Vanilla Wafers	32c
Lemon Snaps	5c	Fig Newtons	20c
Vanilla Wafers, small	5c	Lorna Doone	25c
Nabisco sugar wafers	9c	Token Sandwich	25c

THE FAMOUS UNEEDA BISCUIT, only 5c

PACKAGES.

Lorna Doone	12½c	Zwieback	12½c
Cheese Sandwich	12½c	Saltinas	12½c
Social Tea Sandwich	12½c	Peanut Sandwich	12½c
Five O'Clock Tea	12½c	Marshmallow Dainties	12½c
Fig Newtons	12½c	American Beauty Ginger snaps, bbl.	25c
American Beauty Lemon Snaps, bbl.	25c		

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Best Roast Beef, lb.	18c
Corned Shoulder, lb	18c
Smoked Picnic Shoulders	18c
Lean White Meat, lb.	18c
Pure Hog Lard, lb	16c
Beef steaks, round and sirloin, lb., 25c and	28c
Cream Cheese, lb.	28c
1 1-2 lb. can Karo Syrup	11c
Salmon, can	10c
Pork and Beans, can	10c
Corn, two cans for	25c
Arbuckle coffee, lb	25c
All kinds of cakes	25c
Coal Oil, gallon	14c
Flour	55c
Guaranteed Dinner Coffee, lb.	24c
Good Prunes, lb.	11c
Kippered Herring, 2 cans	15c
All Sardines, box	5c
Large can Milk	11½c
Royal Cocoa 1-2 lb. boxes	20c
Oranges, dozen—Saturday only	23c
Corn Meal, pk.	30c

Cabbage, Slicing Tomatoes, Green Lima Beans, Sugar Corn, Bananas and cantaloupes. Leg of Lamb and Lamb Chops. Veal of all kinds.

FRESH FRUITS A FULL LINE

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The Peoples Store

FRESH VEGETABLES A FULL LINE

The Store of Personal Service

Big Week End Bargain Sale

The following prices should attract housekeepers to lay in a supply. Every article sold by us is the very best. Remember we deliver to your door. Fresh Meat Department in charge of Messrs John Laycock and Winfield Watkins, both are expert meat cutters. We handle only the very best native steer beef, home killed veal, lamb and pork.

Our Famous Winchester Butter, fresh from the churn every we ew day, "the Butter of all Butters, pound 47c

Strickly fresh laid eggs from the Valley, dozen 47c
Just a word about eggs, ours is certified fresh nearby stock. We do not handle the Western fresh eggs.

Our Famous Banquet Coffee, fresh roasted and ground daily, lb 27c
A perfect blend, strong without bitterness, right flavor. "Good to the Last Drop."

Golden Heart Celery, 3 stalks for 25c

Watermelons, ripe, lucious, each 15c

Look! Some Flour Sale—
Snow Flake Fancy Patent, 12 lb. sacks, 58c; 24 lb. sacks $1.10
12 lb. sack Gold Medal 70c
12 lb. sack Pillsbury 70c
12 lb. White Rose 63c
Jerry Potatoes, 1 peck, 15 lbs. 50c
Sack 2½ bush $4.90
Thin skin Lemons, doz. 22c
Sunkist oranges, doz. 40c

Full Cream Cheese, lb 26c
Large can, Yellow California Peaches 22c
Argo Salmon, can 28c
Chum Salmon, can 10c
New pack Delaware Peas, 2 cans for 25c
Armour's Star Hams, lb 37c
Campbell's Beans, can 10c
Eagle Milk, can 21c
Pure Lard, lb. 15c
Compound Lard, lb. 13c

Maine Style Corn, can 10c
Morris Supreme Ham, lb. 35c
Navy Beans, lb. 6c
Lump Starch, lb. 10c
A good Parlor Broom, each 38c
3 large cans Ecop Milk for 35c
1 lb. ground pepper 24c
Picnic Hams 19c

NEWS IN THE GAZETTE 108 Years Ago

ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE
Commercial and Political

THURSDAY, AUG. 26, 1813.

BY LAST NIGHT'S MAIL.

Baltimore, Aug. 27, 1813.

We are informed from authority which cannot be doubted, that a letter has been received at Baltimore from Mr. Beasley, agent for American prisoners at London, stating that the British government had refused to appoint commissioners to treat with Messrs. Bagard, Gallatin and Adams at St. treat with Messrs. Bayard, of Russia.

We are well assured that the above is correct; nay, we will even go further, and say, that the administration have long been notified of this rejection, if Mr. Beasley's word is to be relied on. We are even prepared to prove that the offer of mediation was an unauthorized act on the part of Mr. Daschkoff.

GOLD STOCKS

While Europe sent to the United States more than two hundred and fifty million dollars in gold during the first six months of the current year above receipts from this country, nevertheless a slight gain occurred in that period in the total gold reserves of Europe held by central banks or government agents.

Only three of the fourteen chief European gold holding countries showed a diminution of their gold stocks from January 1 to July 1, and these losses were relatively slight, their combined total amounting to less than $12,000,000. This loss was more than offset by gains among the other eleven countries, the net increase of the fourteen combined amounting to $1,199,000.

Yet between January 1 and July 1, the gold stock held by the Federal reserve banks in the United States increased by $402,601,000 or nearly 20 per cent of the $2,059,330,000 they held the first of the year, almost two thirds of the increase being made up by the gold from European shipping points, the rest coming from non-European and domestic sources.

An analysis of this gold movement shows that present European gold reserves are not being drained to swell America's holdings, but that the increments to this country's hoard since the first of the year, in so far as shipments from European points are concerned, are chiefly of newly mined supplies from Africa coming by way of London; of gold yielded up by India, also coming by way of London; and of metal thought to have originated from Russian sources, eventually coming to America through various European countries.

Europe's centralized reserves were built up subsequent to the outbreak of the Great War far above prewar figures, and were further increased since the armistice, by concentrating in them as far as possible all gold privately held. While these reserves have been, by continued government impoundage, kept rigidly stabilized at the points attained as a result of those extraordinary war and postwar measures in the face of the recent tremendous suction toward America, nevertheless the three great streams have flowed through these countries to the United States with little impediment during the last six months. No material effort has been made in Europe to divert the gold from them for the purpose of building up further the reserves there. The gold has served to reduce European indebtedness in America rather than to aid in restoring the gold standard in Europe.

It was stated in the Federal Reserve Bulletin or June, 1921, that the Director of the Swedish Mint had recently estimated that seventy tons of Russian gold were received in Sweden since 1920. He was quoted as saying that after refining it was reexported, chiefly to the United States, representing an assayed value here o about $40,000,000. The bulletin also said that not less than another $60,000,000 of Russian gold or its equivalent had found its way to the United States through France and other channels.

The movement of gold from Russia to the United States is not definitely traceable. It is thought to have come to this country indirectly through various continental countries in addition to those mentioned above. At the outbreak of the war in 1914 the Russian State Bank held $779,750,000 in gold; by the end of 1917, the date of the last definite statement of gold held in the bank, the stock had dwindled to $633,000,000. It has been reported that this balance has since been largely dispersed and the amount remaining is unknown, but is thought to be small.

It appears thereore that the United States received, between January 1 and July 10, the equivalent of $106,599,000 of African and Indian gold by way of London and the equivalent of more than $100,000,000 of Russian gold by way of Continental Europe. These three chief sources account for the fact that Europe as a whole has been able to make substantial gold payments to the United States without further impairing her existing centralized gold stocks.—Natl. Bank of Commerce, N. Y.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

American League.

	Won.	Lost	P.C.
Cleveland	73	46	614
New York	71	45	612
Washington	65	57	533
St. Louis	60	60	500
Detroit	58	65	472
Boston	55	62	470
Chicago	52	67	437
Philadelphia	43	75	365

National League.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Pittsburgh	76	44	633
New York	73	50	594
Boston	65	52	556
St. Louis	62	57	521
Brooklyn	63	59	516
Cincinnati	54	67	446
Chicago	48	71	404
Philadelphia	40	81	331

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

American League.
Washington 9, Detroit 1.
Chicago 13, Philadelphia 6.
St. Louis 7, Boston 2.
Cleveland 15, New York 1.

National League.
New York 5, Pittsburgh 2.
Brooklyn 3, Chicago 2.
St. Louis 4, Boston 7.
Cincinnati 3, Philadelphia 1.

GAMES TODAY.

American League.
Washington at Cleveland.
Philadelphia at St. Louis.
Boston at Chicago.
New York at Detroit.

National League.
Cincinnati at Philadelphia.
St. Louis at Boston.

Annual Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Howard Lumber Company, Inc., will be held at its principal office, 111 South Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, at 12 o'clock a. m., on the 6th day of September, 1921, at which time officers and directors will be elected, and such other business transacted as may properly come before the meeting.

JAY P. FELT,
Secretary.

199-13c.

NOTICE

Members of Virginia Lodge L. O. O. M. No. 1076

By request of the Dictator, Special Meeting Friday, Aug. 26th. Object—Plans Building Committee.

J. F. BETTIS, Secty.

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HIS WIFE.

203-1p

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Cloverbloom Butter, lb.	48
Old Mill California Apricots No. 2 can	20
Del Monte, Y. C. Peaches No. 2 can	20
Sunshine Sweet Wrinkled peas No. 2	15
Pillsburg's Best Flour—	
6 lb. sack	39
12 lb. sack	72
24 lb. sack	1.40
Wagner's Stringless Beans No. 2 can	13
Choice Lima Beans, per can	13
Argo Starch 1½ lb. box	8 1-2
Argo Starch 5 lbs. box	38
Armour's Products—	
½ lb. Bacon	23
1 lb Bacon (in cartons)	46
Picnic Hams per lb.	19
Star Hams per lb.	36
Kingan's Plantation Style Bacon, per lb.	24

Brookfield Butter, lb.	51
Uetum Sugar Corn No. 2 can	10
Lincoln Brand Wisconsin Peas	11
Del Monte, R. A. Cherries No. 2½ can	35
Rose Dale, Y. C. Peaches No. 2 can	24
Campbell's Soups All kinds, per can	10
Sea Gull Scouring Cleanser, per can	4
Brookdale Chum Salmon, tall can	10
Del Monte Spinash No. 2 can	23
Mrs. Schlorer's Olice Naise,	35
Mrs. Schlorer's Olive Naise	15
Swift's Brookfield Butter, per lb.	51
American Full Cream Cheese,	29
Sheffield's Pimento Cheese, in glass jars, per jar	19
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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Mr. Paul B. Yates has returned to his home in Del Ray from the Catawba Sanatorium and will leave shortly to take up his studies at the University of Virginia.

There will be a choir rehearsal at the Methodist Protestant Church on North Washington street, tonight at 8 o'clock.

Mr. Bernard Shelton, of Cumberland, Md., spent yesterday with his brother, Mr. St. Clair D. Shelton, at the latter's home in King street.

Miss Mary Pearl Slaughter has returned to her duties at the Alexandria Hospital after spending her vacation with her parents at Tide River, Va.

There will be the usual prayer meeting at the Anne Lee Memorial Home this evening at 7:30 p. m. The leader will be Miss Francis Giles, teacher of the Asbury Bible Class.

There will be a lawn party this evening from 7 to 9 p. m. on the lawn of the Second Baptist Church. All are invited to attend.

Mr. George Hoy has returned to his home in this city after spending his vacation on the upper Potomac.

There will be a meeting of the Republicans in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium tonight at 8 o'clock. All are cordially invited to attend.

SPORTS.

Tomorrow at 4 o'clock the Dreadnaughts have booked to play the Home Defense Team from Washington. This team is under the management of Jack Ryan, formerly coach of the pitchers of the Washington Baseball Team. Tommy Deguan, the D's former third baseman, is captain of the team. It is a club filled with old and experienced players who are determined to bring a team here from Washington who can trim the D's. This team should prove one of the best Saturday attractions that have been booked this season, and you will no doubt see a good game of ball. Alexander will work for the D's with Stevens doing the receiving. Tomorrow at 4 p. m. on Baggetts field.

(Live News continued from Page 4.)

on the hill and the whole assembly sat down together after Rev. J. R. Wood had said "grace" or all. Just as everyone had finished eating a delicious and bountiful dinner seaplane No. 5066 circled over the grounds, seeming to just clear the tree tops, then finally lighting on the water in front and coming close to shore at the bathing beach. Of course, everyone was right there to see and exchange greetings with the airmen. The plane soon was turned about and paddled offshore, taking the air again when a short way out. This excitement over, most o the crowd visited the camp of Judge Willis Brown, of Washington, D. C. The camp is especially unique and artistic, with rustic chairs, tables, etc., of the judge's own handicraft. Then a visit to the "Ark," summer home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Della and their grandson, William Burgess, of Washington, D. C. Here were swords and guns, relics of the civil war, also live opossums and a flying squirrel with her two babies, and other things of interest. After this, back to the picnic grounds where games and sports were enjoyed for a while, Mr. K. E. Wallace being a welcome addition to the company. And finally, before either the fun or the day had begun to wane, everybody piled into the automobiles and the big truck, and were all at home again before dark, with a few "chiggers" and many happy memories of this years' picnic day.

Mildred L. Emerson, Gazette correspondent. Phone 765-J-2.

Case In Georgia Is Remarkable.

Really Sounds Incredible But Well Known Merchant Testifies to Facts.

Writing from Maxeys, Ga., A. J. Gillen, proprietor of a large department store at that place, says:

"I have a customer here who was in bed for three years and did not go to a meal at any time. She had five physicians and they gave her out. One bottle of Tanlac got her up, on the second bottle she commenced keeping house and on the third she did all the cooking and housework for a family of eight."

This sounds really incredible, but it comes unsolicited from a highly creditablesource and is copied verbatim from the letter.

Tanlac is sold in Alexandria by Edgar Warfield, Jr.

PUBLIC UTILITY SERVICE

The New York World approves the suggestion born in Washington and started on its way by the Herald, that electric lighting companies should flash the time of day, once each day, to all their patrons. It gives this service, which would cost nothing but a moment's time, as a means of winning popular good will, the best paying asset a public utilities can have. In giving its indorsement, the World says:

Is not the suggestion worth adopting? It is little courtesies of service like this that soften asperities and harmonize the relations o the public with utility corporations. Did the telephone companies gain the equivalent of their loss of popular esteem by ceasing to oblige patrons who asked "central" for the exact time o' day?

Good will, after all, is an important asset for a public utility company and it is something to have every consumer "give at least one pleasant thought to the electric lighting company in each twenty-four hours." And on its practical side a daily time service in every home would contribute materially to the aggregate of public punctuality—no. small considera- Herald.

FIRE RAVAGES MOSCOW AS IN NAPOLEON'S DAY

London, Aug. 25.—Fire started in the most thickly populated part of Moscow several days ago and still is burning, it is asserted by the Helsingfors correspondent of the Central News.

Several hundred houses have been destroyed, the correspondent says.

BELGIAN CHILDREN PROTECTED

Through the second International Conference on the Protection of Childhood, held at Brussels from July 18 to July 21, the attention of the world has been called to the program Belgium is working out for the conservation of childhood. Of timely interest is an article by Dr. Rene Sand of the University of Brussels, recently received by the U. S. Department of Labor through the Children's Bureau. How intelligence, determination, and united effort triumph over conquest, waar, and famine is vividly portrayed in this discussion of "Industrial Medical Reconstruction in Belgium," which appeared in "Living Medicine."

Even during the years of occupation, when the government had left the Belgian soil and the only central coordinating agency was the voluntary "Comite National," public-health activities were started on a hitherto unknown scale, and for the first two years there was an actual decline in infant mortality. Dr. Sand accounts for this in part by the cessation of industrial work for women. The Children's Welfare League, which had begun to function to a limited extent before the war, developed in the midst of the most difficult circumstances until even the smallest village was reached.

In spite of these efforts, the average child was, at the time of the Armistice, one full year backward in normal development; the weight of the average Brussels school boy was three pounds below normal, and of the average school girl, seven pounds.

The first step in the medical reconstruction of industry was the establishment of an independent Labor Medical Service, which includes in its functions the protection of expectant and nursing working women and the care of the health of working children. The service immediately formulated a constructive program which enlisted the cooperation of all agencies concerned in the promotion of public health, including the health of working mothers and their children.

In the United States 18 states provide for the physical examination of every child entering industry, but no state has provided for examinations of working children at regular intervals. Belgium has adopted the advanced program of a medical examination for every juvenile not later than a month after he has entered an industrial occupation, to be repeated once a year until the child reaches eighteen, and oftener in case of disease.

Belgium has realized that health protection in the community must go hand in hand with health protection in industry, and Dr. Sand emphasizes the following points: General public health work; child welfare; housing; the restriction of alcohol consumption; and education and recreation, both for adults and children.

A national children's board has been established, which is maintained by public and private funds, and which supervises and supports child welfare organizations meeting certain conditions. The child welfare program includes the periodical free examination of children under thre years of age brought by their mothers for examination; the establishment of free medical dispensaries for expectant mothers; the diffusion of knowledge relating to infant health and maternal nursing; and the supervision of boarded-out children under seven years of age. The cost of child welfare work will be borne one-half by the state, one-fourth by the province, and one-fourth by the municipality. Provincial and municipal boards are appointed by the national board, and advisory committees are provided or.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

Alexandria, Virginia,
August 24th, 1921.

At a meeting of the Board of Governors of the Bachelor Club, held today, the following Resolutions of Respect were adopted:

Whereas, Through death, on the morning of the 22nd inst., we have been deprived of the services and companionship of our late President, Mr. Walter W. Ballenger; thereore be it,

Resolved, That in his death we have lost a wise and efficient officer, a loyal member and a true friend, which loss we sincerely mourn, be it further

Resolved, That we extend to his family our heartfelt sympathy and condolence in their bereavement, and be it further,

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of the Club, a copy sent to the family and published in the Alexandria Gazette.

O. H. KIRK,
Secretary.

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CANADIAN IMMIGRATION

A recovery of immigration into Canada amounting to 27 per cent over the previous year occurred in the year ending March 30, 1921. Of a total of 148,000 immigrants 74,000 were British, 48,000 came from the United States and 26,000 from other countries.

Emmigration from the United States to Canada increased steadily from 2,400 in 1897 to the high point of 139,000 in 1913. The flow was checked at the outbreak of the war by the prospect of conscription and heavy war taxation, and later by the increased prosperity of the United States. An even greater reduction followed the armistice and the present recovery is but a small advance toward resumption of the prewar movement.

American immigrants are eminently desirable, not only because they are assimilated without difficulty, since living conditions are so much alike in the two countries, but because they are on the average wealthier than the settlers from any other country. It is estimated by the Department of Immigration and Colonization that the American settlers in 1920 brought with them wealth averaging $372 per capita. It is estimated that the British immigrant before the recent enactment prescribing possession of at least $250 brought with him on the average about $100.—Natl. Bank of Commerce, N. Y.

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By virtue of a deed of trust dated August 11th, 1919, executed by Goodman Rubin et als. to the undersigned trustee recorded in Liber 68, page 523, of the land records of the city of Alexandria, and given to secure the payment of certain notes therein described, default having been made in the payment of one of the said notes, the undersigned trustee, will at the request of the holder of said notes, offer for sale at public auction at the Royal street entrance to the Market Building at TWELVE O'CLOCK NOON on Saturday, September 3rd, 1921, the property known as No. 505 Wolfe street, Alexandria, Va., and bounded and described in said deed of trust as follows:—

Beginning at a point on the North side of Wolfe street 30 feet 4 niches west of Pitt street and running thence west on Wolfe street 21 feet thence north parellel to Pitt street 50 feet more or less; thence east parellel to Wolfe street the length of the first line and thence south parellel to Pitt street 50 feet more or less to the point of beginning on Wolfe street.

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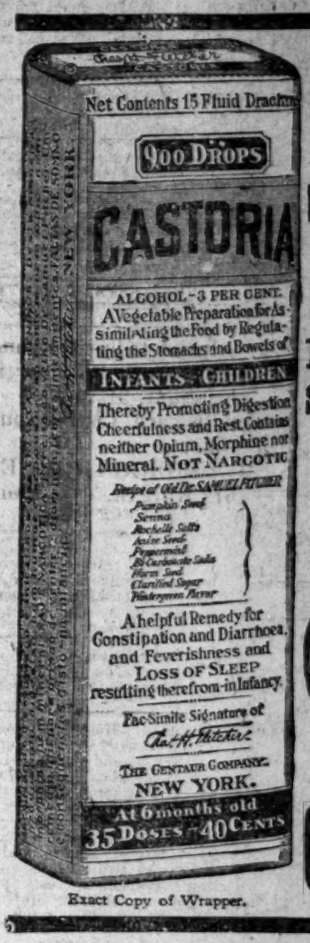
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2—Universal Grills, each	$8.50
2—Universal Waffle Irons, each	$14.00
1—Universal Chafing Dish	$5.00
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VIRGINIA.
In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 25th day of August, 1921.
Bertha V. Harry, complainant vs. Wallace C. Harry, defendant. In Chancery No. 1786.
MEMO.
The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonni for the complainant, Bertha V. Harry, from the defendant, Wallace C. Harry, on the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment without just cause or excuse for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit, and for general relief.
It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Wallace C. Harry is a non-resident of this State: It is ordered, That said defendant appear here within ten days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.
Charles Henry Smith, P. Q.
A Copy Teste.
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
203-4wp Clerk.
By Ashby E. Bladen, deputy clerk.

VIRGINIA.
In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 23rd day of August, 1921.
Clarence N. Lucas, complainant vs. Edith Contee Lucas, defendant. In Chancery No. 1784.
MEMO.
The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony from the defendant on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit, and for general relief.
It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defenant Edith Contee Lucas is a non-resident of this State: It is ordered, That said defendant appear here within ten days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit.
Davis & Budwesky, P. Q.
A Copy Teste.
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
203-4wp Clerk.
By Ashby E. Bladen, deputy clerk.

VIRGINIA.
In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 23rd day of August, 1921.
Buford Davis, complainant vs. Mary Lolar Davis, defendant. In Chancery No. 1783.
MEMO.
The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony from the defendant on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit.
It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Mary Lolar Davis is a non-resident of this State: It is ordered, That said defendant appear here within ten days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit.
Davis & Budwesky, P. Q.
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Look over The Classified Column every day

YELLOW RIVER FLOOD WIPES OUT VILLAGES

Pekin, Aug. 25.—Hundreds of villages have been destroyed and thousands of persons left homeless by an overflow of the Hoang-Ho, or Yellow River, which, after a month of heavy rainfall, has flooded areas in the province of Shantung.
One dyke is reported to have been broken, and the river is said to be flowing through a gap a mile wide. Railroad communication between this city and Shanghai has been interrupted.

BURGLARS GET $50,000 FROM DISTILLER'S SAFE

New York, Aug. 25.—The theft of securities valued at more than $50,000 from the office safe of Morgan E. La Montagne by the use of a "can opener" was revealed today when a detective agency sent out circulars offering a reward of $5,000 for the recovery of any part of the loot. The burglary occurred a week ago.
Mr. La Montagne is treasurer of a distilling company.

Villa Flees Ranch Where Followers Threaten His Life

El Paso, Tex., Aug. 25.—Francisco Villa has fled from his half-million-acre ranch at Canutillo, Durango, to Parral to enlist aid of the Mexican Government in putting down a revolt among his followers, according to an officer of the Mexican army, who returned to Juarez today from Parral.
Meanwhile, according to the officer, Villa's followers are holding down the ranch at Canutillo, and Federal officers are trying to determine from officials at Mexico City just what can be done for the former rebel leader.
The officer said that for several months Villa's orders to his men have been almost unbearable. Even as far back as December, he said, his followers threatened to revolt. Villa, feeling that some of his men were becoming dissatisfied, ordered six men executed, according to the officer, who said he saw the men killed. For a time the workmen on Villa's ranch were quiet, but secretly watched the time when they could successfully rebel, the officer said.
That time came last week, when the rebel's life was threatened and he fled the officer said. He reached Parral day before yesterday, according to the officer.
Villa's holdings are near the town of Durango, in the state of that name. He has his own school house and own church on his property. His farm machinery is valued at thousands of dollars, most of it being bought by the Mexican Governmnt in the United States.

WASHINGTON VIRGINIA RAILWAY COMPANY
In Effect June 6th, 1921
Leave Alexandria for Washington Daily Except Sundays:
A. M.—5.00, 5.40, 6.00, 6.15, 6.30, 6.10 6.46, 6.53, 7.00, 7.10, 7.17, 7.25, 7.33, 7.38, 7.45, 7.53, 7.57, 8.00, 8.07, 8.15, 8.20, 8.30, 8.45, 8.55, 9.10, 9.25, 9.30, 9.40, 9.55, 10.10, 10.25, 10.30x, 10.40, 10.55, 11.00x, 11.10, 11.25, 11.30x, 11.40, 11.55.
12.00x noon.
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South		North
	New York-Jacksonville	
3.35 a. m. ..	(A. C. L.) ..	11.30 p. m.
	Washington-Richmond	
7.57 a. m.	(Local)	11.52 a. m.
	New York-Atlanta-Jacksonville	
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	Washington-Richmond	
11.47 a. m. ..	(Express) ..	3.18 p. m.
	Washington-Fredericksburg	
3.07 p. m.	(Local)	8.09 a. m.
	New York-Augusta-Florida	
3.32 p. m. ..	(A. C. L.) ..	3.10 p. m.
	Washington-Atlanta-Birmingham	
5.17 p. m.	(S. A. L.)	12 noon
	Washington-Richmond	
5.27 p. m.	(Local)	*5.52 p. m.
	New York-Tampa-St. Petersburg	
8.17 p. m. ..	(S. A. L.) ..	8.33 a. m.
	New York-Jacksonville-St. Petersburg New York-Florida	
5.57 p. m. ..	(A. C. L.) ..	8.15 a. m.
	Richmond-Washington Express	6.23 p. m.

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Cotton-filled Comforts; silkoline covers in floral and Oriental designs; size 72x80 inches; light and dark colors; filled with best white cotton. August Sale price $3.50
70x80-inch Wool-Finished Cotton Blankets, good quality, soft finish, in attractive colored plaid patterns. Will go out quickly at our August Sale price. A Pair $3.75
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Gazette Classified Ads

An American Doughboy in France

By ELLIOTT F. HOFFMAN

(Historian of Alexandria Post, No. 24, American Legion.)

(For the Alexandria Gazette.)

Meuse-Argonne Offensive

(Continued.)

On our return to the battle line to pick up the wounded the first comrade we found was propped up behind a tree mopping the blood from his knee, which had been torn open by an explosive bullet, and by his side lay a boy who had been killed while he was trying to dress his comrade's wound In his hand was still clutched the bandage he had meant to use. We started back with the wounded boy, stopping of necessity many times to seek protection in shell holes as the machine gun bullets buzzed around. A group of stretcher bearers passed by us and failing to observe the signal given not to use the main road at that time—this place was being shelled by the enemy—went straight on to their doom. As we came out on the road later, there lay the bodies of the four stretcher bearers and of the wounded man they had borne—just a further addition to the path of dead bodies.

Our journey led us thro' the woods out into the valley of the Eprimont, where stretcher bearers could be seen coming out of the woods from all directions with their ghastly burdens, and falling into the long line headed or the first-aid stations. These were located in the woods and well camouflaged from the view of the enemy aviators. Here the stretcher bearers left their wounded and then passing thro' another door, fell into line to go back for another burden. As we passed out we could see scores of boys digging graves and burying their soldier comrades who had died on the way to the aid station.

Our mess cook was due to arrive there between 4 and 6 every afternoon, and the stretcher bearers would remain for the "slum gullion stew," so we would stand on the hill, hidden from view, and watch for "Rainbow" —faithful mule of ours—to make his appearance in the valley below. We could tell him a long way off for never had a mule ears quite so long or feet quite so big as our Rainbow. But this particular afternoon mules came and went but no Rainbow. Darkness came and he had not arrived. At day break we made our way back to the lines to go over the top and we carried to Rainbow's friends the news that he had been "bumped" off while on his way to the front with our "mess."

(To be continued.)

HOTEL RAMMEL
Business Men's Lunch, 75c

Summer Specials Prices Opposite
Cucumber Salad, 10c
Indian Relish, 10c
Soup
Old Fashion Bean, 15c
Vegetable, 15c
Va. Ham and Cabbage, 35c
Fried Butter Fish 35c
Prime Ribs of Beef 35c
Veal Cutlet with Tomato Sauce 35c
Green Corn on Cob 10c
Stewed Tomatoes 10c
Boiled Potatoes 10c New Beets 10c
Pie
Apple 10c Cocoanut 10c
Apple Tapioca 10c
Watermelon 15c
Milk Tea Coffee
(Hot or Iced 10c)

SPORTS.

Once more the A's and D's will attempt to cross bats for the championship of Northern Virginia, providing the weather man does not interfere as he did August 14.

August 28 is the new date and nothing but rain can upset the plans. Come and see the home talent at its best.

It is expected that Frye will be on the mound for the D's while Stevens does the receiving. "Smiling" Jimmy Quayle will twirl for the A's while Savage receives.

September 4th is the date set for the second game of the series.

Come on, fans, root for your favorites!

INGOMAR

Ethel Clayton and Jack Holt.

Two women—one a diamond smuggler in alliance with the most unscrupulous man in Kimberley; the other an innocent young lady, the sweetheart of Sir Denis Harlenden—and both the same beautiful girl! Such is the heroine Ethel Clayton plays in her Paramount picture, "Sins of Rosanne," coming to the Ingomar Theater today. Jack Holt plays the hero.

WANTED—Table boarders wanted at 528 King. Good board at reasonable price. Apply at 528 King st. 203--1p.

RAY BRINGS FAMOUS HOYT PLAY TO SCREEN

"A Midnight Bell," Charles Ray's latest picture, which will be featured as a First National attraction at the Richmond Theater for a run of two days, beginning today, is an adaptation of Charles Hoyt's well-known stage play and probably the fastest moving that the star has been seen in. It is full of swift action and in it Ray has the opportunity to display a variety of emotions, "from grave to gay, from lively to severe." There is some splendid comedy portrayed in the best Ray vein, especially in the small general store where the young fellow, determined to get a job, shows his ability as a salesman and astonishes the old-fashioned storekeeper with his ability to make people part with their dollars—and like it.

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WAR FINANCE ORGANIZATIONS' OPERATIONS A STIMULUS TO BUSINESS IN GENERAL.

"I wish to point out," says Eugene Meyer, Jr., Director of the War Finance Corporation, in the Journal of the American Banking Association, "that the service rendered by the Corporation in the emergency through which we are passing cannot be fully measured by any mere financial statement. It has exercised during the past few months, and is continuing to exercise, an influence that is exceedingly helpful from the psychological point of view. In fact, its very existence, with the large funds at its command, has tended to inspire confidence, and several agreements to make loans in case of need have not been followed by the actual advance of funds because the prospective borrowers, strengthened by the assurance of aid through the Corporation, have been able to obtain the necessary funds through other channels. I may say also that the Corporation has recently assisted in obtaining the cooperation of the New York and Chicago bankers in raising a loan fund of $50,000,000 to relieve the unusual conditions confronting the live-stock industry. Word has been received from Chicago to the effect that the Stock Growers' Finance Corporation, the organization created by the bankers to handle the fund, already has agreed to loan approximately $4,500,000."

EDITORIAL

A few days ago a well dressed man paid a visit to this store and after a careful inspection of the different departments, he hunted up Mr. Diener and said: "Mr. Diener, I am a stranger to you and to Alexandria but after visiting the various departments of your store, I am not going away without complimenting you in person."

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PROFIT---SHARING SALE

and the many wonderful values offered for tomorrow's selling are sure to attract a bigger crowd than usual. The end of the summer season is yet several weeks distant and the many items of wearing apparel shown at but a fraction of their former prices, can be worn for some time to come.

1/3 off

This is a bona fide reduction—a reduction that brings these rugs to a price that is sure to move them quickly. Come Early Tomorrow.

Every Grass, Crex or Matting Rug

Don't fail to see these rugs in OUR THIRD FLOOR DEPARTMENT.

Fine Hosiery

For Men, Women and Children

Hosiery is one of our biggest sellers in these Saturday Profit-Sharing sales. Read over this list carefully, then come here tomorrow to supply your needs.

Women's glove silk hose, plain and fancy, in white, black, navy and brown—specially priced, tomorrow, pair $3.29
Women's full fashioned black silk hose, regular $2.49 value, pair $2.25
Women's pure thread silk hose in all the wanted shades, special $1.39
Women's good quality lisle hsoe in black and white—special Saturday, pair 39c
Men's silk hose, black and brown, very special for Saturday, pair 75c
Children's pink and blue top lisle socks, regular 45c values pair 39c

HERE IT IS! Final Reduction of SUMMER DRESSES

These are our entire remaining stocks of high-grade handsome summer dresses.

They are in a variety of styles, colors and sizes and are the very popular summer materials, up to $22.50 values, tomorrow—

$5.98

Gloves--

Women's long silk gloves in white, black, grey and pongee, regularly sold at $2.00, special for tomorrow, pair $1.69

Short silk gloves in white and black, regular $1.49 values, special, pair $1.25

Ribbons--

Wide Dresden ribbon in light and dark shades, 89c quality, special, yard .. 59c

Lingerie-Ready-to-Wear and Domestics At Profit Sharing Prices

Women's fine quality nainsook gowns, all sizes to select from, special, each 89c

Broken lots of women's house dresses, excellent quality garments, special, each 98c
Women's bungalow aprons, every woman needs several, special Saturday, each 89c

Table and Bed Linens

All linen table damask, 72 inches wide, sold for $4.50 a yard, special for this sale, yard $2.98
Pillow casing, good quality, 45-inches wide, special, yard 55c
Meadowbrook sheets with seam, 72x90, special tomorrow 89c

Yard Goods SPECIALS

36-inch percale in black and blue and pink, yard 15c
Lot of lining and satins that sold for 49c and 59c, sale price, yard 29c
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Kiddy cloth for boys suits and jackets for school, 59c value, yard 29c
Canton flannel, bleached and unbleached, special price yard, ... 16c
Dimity for baby dresses, very specially priced tomorrow, yard 59c
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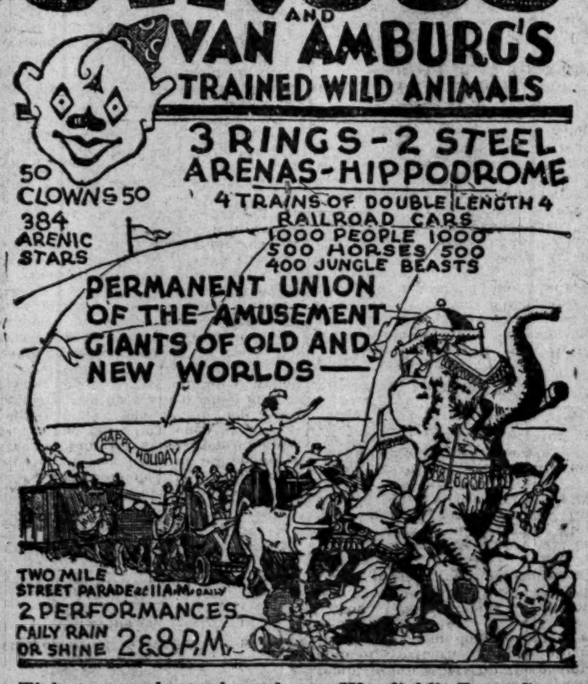
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